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Applicants: Carlo Vertemara, Paolo Menegoli, and Giorgio Pedrazzini
Title: CIRCUIT AND METHOD FOR CONTROLLING THE PARKING
AND UNPARKING OF A READ-WRITE HEAD
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111

November 27, 2002

TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

In response to the most recent Office Action in this case mailed August 27, 2002, the Applicants, acting through their attorney, requests amendment of the above referenced application as follows.

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